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In re Application of:

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## **RESPONSE AND STATEMENT UNDER 1.821**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231 May 23, 2002

Sir:

In compliance with Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures (copy enclosed), enclosed herewith is a computer readable form (diskette) and a paper

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copy containing a sequence listing for the above-referenced matter.

The contents of the attached paper entitled "SEQUENCE LISTING" and of the accompanying identically labeled diskette, specifically the ASCII-encoded file therein labeled "Seglist.txt", are identical.

Consideration of the enclosed diskette and paper are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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